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7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
8 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
9 AT SEATTLE

10 ROBERT JOHNSON, et al.,

11 Plaintiffs,

12 v.

13 NATIONSTAR MORTGAGE LLC,

14 Defendant.

CASE NO. C16-1031JLR

ORDER REGARDING THE
PARTIES' LETTERS
CONCERNING MEDIATION

15 The court has received the parties' letters concerning their inability to agree upon
16 a mediator. (Pl. Letter (Dkt. # 38); Def. Letter (Dkt. # 39).) Local Civil Rule 39.1(a)(4)
17 states that participation in alternative dispute resolution ("ADR") "is voluntary unless the
18 court orders the parties to participate." Local Rules W.D. Wash. LCR 39.1(a)(4).

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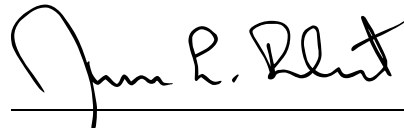
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1 Accordingly, if the parties are unable to agree upon a mediator, the court relieves them of
2 any obligation to participate in ADR.

3 Dated this 26th day of June, 2017.

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6 JAMES L. ROBART
7 United States District Judge
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